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ATTACHMENT A

AMENDMENT OF THE CLAIMS

The listing of claims below replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims:

- 1           1. – 2. (Cancelled)
- 1           3.       (Previously Presented) The method of claim 39, further comprising  
2 receiving a response to the second call request and processing the response without  
3 forwarding the response to the originating device.
- 1           4.       (Previously Presented) The method of claim 37, wherein sending the  
2 response includes sending a ringing response.
- 1           5.       (Previously Presented) The method claim 4, further comprising receiving a  
2 ringing response from the first destination device without forwarding a ringing response  
3 to the originating device.
- 1           6.       (Previously Presented) The method of claim 37, wherein receiving the first  
2 call request includes receiving a Session Initiation Protocol Invite request.
- 1           7.       (Cancelled)
- 1           8.       (Previously Presented) The method of claim 37, wherein sending the  
2 response is performed by a server task.
- 1           9.       (Previously Presented) The method of claim 8, wherein sending the  
2 messaging to the first destination device is performed by a client task.
- 1           10.      (Previously Presented) The method of claim 9, further comprising:  
2 receiving a success indication; and  
3 forwarding the success indication, by a proxy, to the originating device.

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1           11.    (Original) The method of claim 10, wherein receiving the success  
2   indication includes receiving a Session Initiation Protocol OK response.

1           12. – 13. (Cancelled)

1           14.    (Previously Presented) A method of providing call processing in a  
2   communications system having a packet-based network, comprising:  
3                receiving, in a system, a first call request from a first device;  
4                processing, in the system, the first call request and sending a response to  
5   the first call request to indicate an attempt to establish a call session;  
6                identifying one of plural destination devices to contact in response to the  
7   call request;  
8                sending a second call request to the one destination device;  
9                establishing a first call between the first device and the one destination  
10   device;  
11               identifying another one of the plural destination devices to contact;  
12               sending a first indication to the other one destination device to establish a  
13   second call between the first device and the other one destination device; and  
14               sending a second indication to the first device to establish the second call,  
15               wherein sending the first indication includes sending a third call request.

1           15.    (Original) The method of claim 14, wherein sending the second indication  
2   includes sending a fourth call request.

1           16.    (Original) The method of claim 15, wherein sending the third call request  
2   and sending the fourth call request comprise sending Session Initiation Protocol Invite  
3   requests.

1           17. – 27. (Cancelled)

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1           28.   (Currently Amended) The ~~data-signal~~ article of claim 51, wherein the  
2 instructions when executed cause the system to exchange control signaling with the first  
3 destination device in client mode.

1           29.   (Currently Amended) The ~~data-signal~~ article of claim 28, wherein the  
2 instructions when executed cause the system to receive the call request from the  
3 originating device in server mode.

1           30.   (Currently Amended) The ~~data-signal~~ article of claim 29, wherein the  
2 instructions when executed cause the system to exchange further control signaling with  
3 the first and second destination devices in proxy mode.

1           31. - 36. (Cancelled)

1           37.   (Previously Presented) A method of providing call processing in a  
2 communications system having a packet-based network, comprising:  
3               receiving, by a system, a first call request from an originating device;  
4               processing, by the system, the first call request and sending a response to  
5 the first call request to indicate an attempt to establish a call session;  
6               sending, by the system in response to the first call request, messaging to a  
7 first one of plural destination devices to establish a first call between the originating  
8 device and the first destination device to receive input from the originating device; and  
9               sending, by the system in response to the received input, messaging to a  
10 second one of the plural destination devices to establish a second call between the  
11 originating device and the second destination device.

1           38.   (Previously Presented) The method of claim 37, further comprising  
2 establishing a media path between the first destination device and the originating device,  
3 and establishing a media path between the second destination device and the originating  
4 device.

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1           39.   (Previously Presented) The method of claim 37, wherein sending  
2   messaging to the first destination device comprises sending a second call request to the  
3   first destination device, and  
4                wherein sending messaging to the second destination device comprises  
5   sending a third call request to the second destination device.

1           40.   (Previously Presented) The method of claim 39, further comprising  
2   sending, by the system, a fourth call request to the originating device to establish the  
3   second call.

1           41.   (Previously Presented) The method of claim 39, wherein receiving the first  
2   call request comprises receiving a first Session Initiation Protocol (SIP) Invite message,  
3   sending the second call request comprises sending a second SIP Invite message, and  
4   sending the third call request comprises sending a third SIP Invite message.

1           42.   (Previously Presented) The method of claim 39, wherein establishing the  
2   first and second calls comprises establishing the first and second calls as part of one call  
3   session.

1           43.   (Previously Presented) The method of claim 42, further comprising:  
2                the system receiving a first termination message from the first destination  
3   device;  
4                the system receiving a second termination message from the second  
5   destination device.

1           44.   (Previously Presented) The method of claim 43, wherein sending the  
2   messaging to the first destination device to establish the first call is performed in response  
3   to the first termination message, the method further comprising:  
4                the system sending a third termination message to the originating device in  
5   response to the second termination message.

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1           45.   (Previously Presented) The method of claim 44, wherein sending the first  
2 termination message comprises sending a first Session Initiation Protocol (SIP) Bye  
3 message, sending the second termination message comprises sending a second SIP Bye  
4 message, and sending the third termination message comprises sending a third SIP Bye  
5 message.

1           46. – 50. (Cancelled)

1           51.   (Currently Amended) ~~A data signal embodied in a carrier wave and~~ An  
2 article comprising at least one storage medium containing instructions that when  
3 executed cause a system to:  
4               receive a first call request from an originating device;  
5               send, in response to the first call request, a second call request to a first  
6 one of plural destination devices to establish a first call between the originating device  
7 and the first destination device to receive input from the originating device; and  
8               send, in response to the received input, a third call request to a second one  
9 of the plural destination devices to establish a second call between the originating device  
10 and the second destination device.

1           52.   (Currently Amended) The ~~data signal~~ article of claim 51, wherein  
2 receiving the first call request comprises receiving a first Session Initiation Protocol (SIP)  
3 Invite message, sending the second call request comprises sending a second SIP Invite  
4 message, and sending the third call request comprises sending a third SIP Invite message.

1           53.   (Currently Amended) The ~~data signal~~ article of claim 51, wherein the  
2 instructions when executed cause the system to further send a fourth call request to the  
3 originating device to establish the second call.

1           54.   (Currently Amended) The ~~data signal~~ article of claim 51, wherein  
2 establishing the first and second calls comprises establishing the first and second calls as  
3 part of one call session.

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1           55.   (Currently Amended) The ~~data-signal~~ article of claim 51, wherein the  
2 instructions when executed cause the system to further:  
3                   receive a first termination message from the first destination device;  
4                   receive a second termination message from the second destination device.

1           56.   (Currently Amended) The ~~data-signal~~ article of claim 55, wherein sending  
2 the second call request to the first destination device to establish the first call is  
3 performed in response to the first termination message, the instructions when executed  
4 causing the system to further:  
5                   send a third termination message to the originating device in response to  
6 the second termination message.

1           57.   (Currently Amended) The ~~data-signal~~ article of claim 56, wherein sending  
2 the first termination message comprises sending a first Session Initiation Protocol (SIP)  
3 Bye message, sending the second termination message comprises sending a second SIP  
4 Bye message, and sending the third termination message comprises sending a third SIP  
5 Bye message.